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Subject: Renegade contains a trojan?

Posted by [Tupolev TU-95 Bear](#) on Sun, 03 Oct 2010 11:15:15 GMT

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I was just starting up renegade and it said i have not got the appropriate permissions and i was wtf? Then AVG detects a trojan thats infected the Renegades.exe I realised its in the wrong section, thats cos i was rushing..

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?

Posted by [Crimson](#) on Sun, 03 Oct 2010 11:42:22 GMT

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<http://www.renegadeforums.com/index.php?t=msg&th=36639&start=0&rid=8>

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a Trojan?

Posted by [Tupolev TU-95 Bear](#) on Sun, 03 Oct 2010 11:46:21 GMT

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Thanks but i fear that this Trojan could get me banned from servers or im being too dramatic.

EDIT: is there a way i can send my game.exe to AVG? like Jonwil did?

EDIT2: Ok AVG scanned my laptop and picked up the threat, now its moved to the virus vault.

Does it Guarantee that the virus wont hinder with the game.exe?

EDIT3: I just ran the program and the virus never popped up (yay) but however it cannot find the game.exe

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a Trojan?

Posted by [YazooGang](#) on Mon, 04 Oct 2010 00:24:30 GMT

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I got this today too... So whats up??

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a Trojan?

Posted by [Jerad2142](#) on Mon, 04 Oct 2010 03:55:05 GMT

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Actually the other one is RenegadeServer.exe not Renegade.exe, there is a difference, I have yet to see Renegade.exe flag on any of my computer's antiviruses (Norton/Symantec/WindowsDefender).

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?

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Posted by [Homey](#) on Mon, 04 Oct 2010 04:37:04 GMT

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Sounds like some AV programs added a new detection that's reading Renegade exe's as a virus. I'm sure it's fine, just a false positive.

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?

Posted by [Tupolev TU-95 Bear](#) on Mon, 04 Oct 2010 06:19:01 GMT

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It seems though as Cmatt42's exe was infected too...

Can someone keep me updated via PM? ill take notice when i come back from work later..

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?

Posted by [danpaul88](#) on Mon, 04 Oct 2010 08:38:00 GMT

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You don't \*need\* renegade.exe, it doesnt DO anything except load game.exe. Just delete it and edit your shortcuts to point to game.exe instead.

Personally I still think its a false positive due to AV companies assuming any program which exists solely to launch another program must be malware.

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?

Posted by [Reaver11](#) on Mon, 04 Oct 2010 08:39:48 GMT

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Use Virustotal if you are unsure if your virusscanner is telling the truth. <http://www.virustotal.com>

I scanned it and it said that 5 of the 43 virusscanner think it is a virus.

If Norton, mcafee and Microsoft's scanner would determine it to be a virus then I would start getting worried.

In this case Avg is 1 of the 4 others in which the 4 others are kinda mediocore scanners.

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?

Posted by [GoTWhiskÉY](#) on Mon, 04 Oct 2010 13:29:36 GMT

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I had the same problem this weekend... AVG says my Renegade.exe was a trojan, then moved it to the virus vault. I've just been using Game2 in the meantime

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?  
Posted by [DRNG](#) on Mon, 04 Oct 2010 14:10:21 GMT  
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It's probably a false positive, I've had this happen before with my games. Just have AVG ignore the file and don't send it to the vault.

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?  
Posted by [Tupolev TU-95 Bear](#) on Mon, 04 Oct 2010 14:53:33 GMT  
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Cheers guys, ill make create a short cut

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?  
Posted by [Altzan](#) on Mon, 04 Oct 2010 22:17:48 GMT  
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I just got this as well. I'm gonna just delete it and use game.exe.

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?  
Posted by [DRNG](#) on Mon, 04 Oct 2010 22:35:10 GMT  
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Altzan wrote on Mon, 04 October 2010 17:17I just got this as well. I'm gonna just delete it and use game.exe.

Just set it on the ignore list and don't send it to the vault (or you'll have to re-install)...

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?  
Posted by [liquidv2](#) on Tue, 05 Oct 2010 02:08:53 GMT  
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it's another clever EA attempt at killing Renegade

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?  
Posted by [Altzan](#) on Tue, 05 Oct 2010 02:35:41 GMT  
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DRNG wrote on Mon, 04 October 2010 17:35Altzan wrote on Mon, 04 October 2010 17:17I just got this as well. I'm gonna just delete it and use game.exe.

Just set it on the ignore list and don't send it to the vault (or you'll have to re-install)...

Why? I did it 5 hours ago and Ren still works for me.

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?  
Posted by [Tupolev TU-95 Bear](#) on Tue, 05 Oct 2010 06:37:30 GMT  
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liquidv2 wrote on Tue, 05 October 2010 03:08it's another clever EA attempt at killing Renegade  
Can EA get sued for that?

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?  
Posted by [Carrierll](#) on Tue, 05 Oct 2010 08:49:07 GMT  
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I just got it as well, using AVG here. :s

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?  
Posted by [Altzan](#) on Tue, 05 Oct 2010 15:23:03 GMT  
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This may be unrelated, but anyone else get a "missing mss32.dll" error recently?

I restored Renegade.exe so it isn't that.

And yes, I downloaded mss32.dll but that just gives me some exception error with it.

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?  
Posted by [Tupolev TU-95 Bear](#) on Tue, 05 Oct 2010 16:06:42 GMT  
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Nope, see if my copy of mss32.dll works

#### File Attachments

1) [Mss32.dll](#), downloaded 91 times

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?  
Posted by [danpaul88](#) on Tue, 05 Oct 2010 17:05:39 GMT  
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Altzan wrote on Tue, 05 October 2010 16:23

And yes, I downloaded mss32.dll but that just gives me some exception error with it.

mss32 is the Miles Sound System library used for the Miles 2D Positional Sound sound system in Renegade. There is more than one version of the dll, so chances are any random version you get from the internet will not be the right one. Assuming the copy Mi-28 Havoc posted above this is from Renegade it should work properly.

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?

Posted by [saberhawk](#) on Tue, 05 Oct 2010 17:07:42 GMT

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danpaul88 wrote on Tue, 05 October 2010 13:05Altzan wrote on Tue, 05 October 2010 16:23

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Miles is actually a source-only library so that risk is considerably greater as the developers compiles Miles themselves and are bound to have different compiler settings.

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?

Posted by [Altzan](#) on Wed, 06 Oct 2010 02:31:06 GMT

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I'm just going to reinstall.

I use AVG, is it possible to add Renegade.exe to an exception list? It's 'warned' me about 20 times today.

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?

Posted by [reborn](#) on Wed, 06 Oct 2010 14:17:44 GMT

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It's a virus caused by rgh.

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?

Posted by [Tupolev TU-95 Bear](#) on Wed, 06 Oct 2010 15:38:29 GMT

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reborn wrote on Wed, 06 October 2010 15:17It's a virus caused by rgh.

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Come again?

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?  
Posted by [Tupolev TU-95 Bear](#) on Wed, 06 Oct 2010 21:08:22 GMT  
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Well it seems as my TFD launcher is infected with the same trojan

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?  
Posted by [Blazea58](#) on Thu, 07 Oct 2010 22:08:20 GMT  
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Yea just recently my avg detected a trojan downloader.amdm or something rather from Game.exe, and it didnt really scare me until it said my system restore has also been infected with the same trojan and it couldn't heal any of them , only remove. So i removed all threats , and hoping it doesn't come back. The fact it was in my system restore in 3 different points tells me it probably isn't a false alarm. Since i got rid of it though i haven't had any problems, so it very well could have just been a strange error avg was getting.

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?  
Posted by [Tupolev TU-95 Bear](#) on Fri, 08 Oct 2010 13:56:22 GMT  
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Yeap that explains why my AVG went haywire last night with 10 viruses it "suposingly" it found.

Anyways. Shall i just reinstall my laptop? im kind getting sick of these constent 'apparent' trojans and install a new Anti virus?

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?  
Posted by [trooprm02](#) on Sun, 10 Oct 2010 23:03:11 GMT  
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Everyones first mistake? Using AVG.

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Subject: Re: Renegade contains a trojan?  
Posted by [a000clown](#) on Mon, 11 Oct 2010 02:38:43 GMT  
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Seems the problem has been resolved?

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[http://virusscan.jotti.org/en/scanresult/73bf202db6a54bfe2eb2659ab117a5ca693a521 0](http://virusscan.jotti.org/en/scanresult/73bf202db6a54bfe2eb2659ab117a5ca693a5210)

Quote: Scan finished. 2 out of 18 scanners reported malware.

<http://www.virustotal.com/file-scan/report.html?id=e1101acadff80be8775b1718b795c4a22d2d1fc2d123535aa6fb0304a9d9a766-1286764790>

Quote:

6/ 43 (14.0%)

Last time I checked there were a lot more scanners marking it as bad.

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